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For: BICYCLE RIM

## RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116 REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the June 24, 2005 Office Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of Claims</u>, which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claims 1-35 are pending, with claims 1, 23 and 34 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

Entry refused Jub 19/21/05